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When  
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For school,  
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See that the home paper  
Follows you for the term;  
\$1.00 pays for it for the full time!

Ferd Louis Rothe spent Sunday with friends in Laredo.

Genuine Gillette thin blades, 12 for 2¢ at FLY DRUG CO.

Mr. Fritz Stiegler was a business caller at this office Thursday.

Mrs. W. F. Braden joins our list of Anvil Herald readers this week.

LOST—Car license No. 923.906. Please return to WILLIE BOEHLE, Hondo.

2tpd.

One-Cent Wall Paper Sale now on. Stocks limited. ALAMO LUMBER COMPANY.

Hon. C. P. Spangler and son, Charles, of Uvalde were Hondo visitors Wednesday.

Miss Mary Belle Embrey attended the Clark-Gardiner wedding in De-

vine Monday night.

Miss Fern Ulrich left last week-  
end for Marathon where she will teach school this year.

Get better Cleaning and pressing at V. HORACE CROW'S Model Cleaners. Phone 125.

REXPIRIN relieves discomfort of colds, headaches, muscular pain. WINDROW DRUG STORE.

Now is your chance to try BAR-  
BASOL Shaving Cream, 50c tube  
for 2¢ at FLY DRUG CO.

Melvin Clark was here from Lake Charles, La., where the army is on maneuvers, over the week-end.

FOR RENT—Southeast bedroom with private bath and use of garage. MRS. JACOB REILY.

Miss Libby Shoer of San Antonio spent last week here with her sister, Mrs. F. J. Leinweber, and family.

Miss Mary Neal, enroute from Wa-  
co to Crystal City where she teaches, visited Miss Thelma Lynch Sunday.

Mrs. J. G. Barry and children, Maybeth and Jimmy, are spending the week in Smithville with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank L. Mussmann and family of George West were appreciated callers at this office Saturday.

Mrs. Arnold Nienhoef and children, Bernice and Martin Ray, were pleasant callers at this office Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Haby and daughter, Dorothy, of Rio Medina visited Mr. and Mrs. Ward Boehme Tuesday.

For sale, or trade for livestock: Long wheel-base 1934 V8 truck with 1938 motor. Joe A. Bader, Castroville, Texas.

Robert Breiten was over from Uvalde Wednesday and renewed his subscriptions to both the Anvil Herald and Farming.

Did you know that 50¢ will cover the cost of cleaning and pressing your suit at V. HORACE CROW'S MODEL CLEANERS?

For relief of the discomfort of heat Rash, Ivy or Oak Posion. Insect Bites. Sunburn use GYPSY CREAM. WINDROW DRUG STORE.

Mrs. Wm. Biediger of Castroville is spending some time here with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Mechler, and children.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. McDowell and daughters spent the week-end of Labor Day with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emil Adamcik, in Smithville.

Mrs. Emma Graff and daughter, Mrs. H. J. Boehle, and granddaughter, Miss Shirley Boehle, were pleasant callers at this office Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. August Finger and children of San Antonio and Mr. and Mrs. George Isaac Wilson of Corpus Christi spent the week-end in the R. Rath home.

Nema Capsules for stomach worms live stock, and Kres Dip and Disinfectant sold only in Drug Stores. Shipment just received at WINDROW DRUG STORE.

Little Miss Betty Sanders, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sanders of Pearland, spent last week here with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Merritt, and her aunt, Miss Billye Merritt.

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Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Leinweber and daughter, Dorothy, had as their guests last week-end Misses Helen and Gertrude Sinking and Mr. Al Dexter of San Antonio. The party spent Sunday and Monday at Garner Park.

Mr. R. C. Rath went to San Antonio Thursday afternoon where he was accompanied home by Mrs. Rath and little daughter, Carol Ann, who had spent the past week with her mother, Mrs. Geo. W. Gilliam, and family, in Corpus Christi.

### FIREMEN'S CARNIVAL BIG SUCCESS

The Firemen's semi-annual Carnival and Street Dance last Saturday night fully sustained its reputation for attracting a large crowd of people and sending them away well pleased with the evening's entertainment. People from far and near were in attendance and the entire space between the depot and the sidewalk on the north side of North Front Street was crowded with merrymakers. Various kinds of amusements occupied the attention of the guests, but dancing was the main attraction.

The Blue Ridge Play Boys furnished the music from their sound truck and the amplifier made it audible to every part of the expansive dance floor. At eleven o'clock attendance prizes were given as follows:

1. Lawn Mower, donated by Sun Utility Co., Clovis Schweres.  
2. Electric Iron, donated by San Antonio Public Service Co., Dr. T. B. Knopp.  
3. Waffle Iron, donated by Medina Electric Cooperative Inc., Mrs. O. J. Bader.

4. Bridle, donated by Eugen Huesser, Mr. Haby.  
5. Dish Washer, donated by San Antonio Appliance Co., Sam Johnson.

6. Bed Spread, donated by G. & M. Food Store, James Weyand.

County Attorney Frank X. Vance acted as master of ceremonies for the Fire Boys in the distribution of the prizes, after which he made a few appropriate remarks, and on behalf of the Fire Department thanked the crowd for the attendance and patronage given.

The financial proceeds were:  
Receipts ..... \$629.12  
Expenses, approximately ..... \$100.00 Profit ..... \$529.12

Receipts were \$75.00 more than ever before.

The Fire Company asks us to make public acknowledgement of the Company's thanks and appreciation to the business people of Hondo and elsewhere for the gift of keno prizes and donations. They especially thank the San Antonio Public Service Co. for installing the lighting system, furnishing the electric current and for giving display space in the show window for exhibiting the prizes.

Both the Hondo and the Alamo Lumber Companies are gratefully remembered for the loan of lumber. And each and every attendant is reminded that their patronage is greatly appreciated and that they are extended a cordial invitation to attend the next like event.

### MORE HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUBS WANTED

The Home Demonstration Agent, Miss Velma Hambleton, is very anxious to organize home demonstration clubs in all parts of the county. She is here to serve the entire county and it is through these clubs that she can do her best work and reach the greatest number of people.

Several reports have come to her of some communities wanting clubs, so will some one interested person in these communities contact the agent, so that definite plans can be made. She especially wants those interested to be organized soon so that they will be included in the new year books that will soon go to press.

Remember, call, write or see Miss Velma Hambleton at once so that she can work in the organization of your club with her regular routine, so that each club will be ready for the next demonstration.

### HONDO GIRL WEDS

Miss Lorine Neuman of San Antonio, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John E. Neuman of Hondo, and Mr. R. C. Sheffield, oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Sheffield of Houston, were married Saturday, August 30, 1941, at 3 P. M. in Houston. Reverend H. Plackemeir, Pastor of the Bethany Lutheran Church of Houston, officiated.

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### IMPORTANT SCHOOL NOTICE

A new procedure will be followed Monday when school opens. Students will not report to school until 12:45.

Due to the fact that there will be so many new teachers on the faculty, Supt. Barry has scheduled a faculty meeting for Monday morning, and thus put off regular enrollment until that afternoon. The reverse procedure had been followed heretofore.

Parents will please take notice, and not send children to school Monday until 12:45. They will be let out of school that afternoon about three or three thirty.

### ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH

Sunday, September 7: Sunday school at 9:00; English services at 10:00. A congregational meeting will follow the morning service.

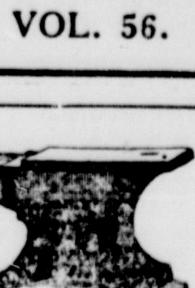
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HONDO, MEDINA COUNTY, TEXAS, SEPTEMBER 5, 1941.

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## SPARKS

Being News, Views and Reviews  
by the  
Managing Editor

### THE LOW DOWN FROM HICKORY GROVE

This Mr. Carr who has been going around the country talking about States' Rights, you know, he is quite a duck. He is the Governor of Colorado. Also he is a Republican. Most people kinda figure he is a democrat, on account the Old Democratic Party slogan was "states rights". But I checked up—he is a Republican.

This Mr. Carr says the way the wind is blowing now, she looks like there won't be much for a governor to do. Everything will be run from Washington, if the Governor has nothing to say about how his state is going to be run, then I guess the voters would be in the same mess. Of course they can still write their Senators—we still have senators. And even if most of them are away lecturing, etc., and not in Washington, their Secretary will answer your letter, which is just as good as if the Senator, himself, would write—or maybe better.

If more Governors and people do not get on the bandwagon with Mr. Carr, governors and States' Rights are gonna be obsolete and extinct before we know it, and you will only see them in a museum.

Yours with the low down,  
JOE SERRA

They are playing politics low-down again in this editor's beloved native state—old Mississippi. Back in the 19-teens Mississippi sent one of her ablest and most courageous sons, James K. Vardaman, to the U. S. Senate. He should have had a long and useful career in that body where men of courage and independence shine so conspicuously because so rare. But with that perversity with which the American populace crucifies the real statesmen and exalts the demagogue and the time-server, Mississippi listened to Woodrow Wilson's demand that they unseat Vardaman because he exercised his independence by being one of the "few wilful men" who blocked said Wilson's ambition to be a world dictator through means of his League of Nations dream. They sent their statesman to a premature grave, a broken-hearted victim of ingratitude, and elevated a smooth time-server to his place—a man who could take a kick from the New Deal and still lick its boots. But time and circumstance have again made the place vacant, and again there is interference from Washington with a view to again filling it with a willing tool of the administration. In the race are two members of Congress. As far as we have followed their careers, one is the latter type. He is acceptable because he can be used. The other has shown some degree of that independence which is supposed to distinguish real statesmen. He is not acceptable because he is not wanted to ask the reason why; he is wanted only to obey. And they are playing politics low down. In exchanges coming from strategic points about the state are appearing dispatches from Washington in this general effect: "The president today approved loan and annual contributions contract in the amount of fifty thousand dollars for rural housing projects in your country." Those who watched the New Deal's antics in the late Texas campaign, grasp the full significance of such actions. Well, in Texas for once we "beat the U. S. Treasury". What will the verdict in Mississippi be?

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This is 1941. Numerous of our own people not to mention millions in the war-torn countries of the world are "ill-clothed and ill-fed". There is to be untold suffering for lack of nourishment and clothing sufficient to endure the cold of the coming winter. And yet there are cotton farmers of the South being compelled by their government under penalty to plow up cotton already made, and that on their own land! Cotton furnishes both clothing from the fiber and food for both man and his livestock from the seed. Where is there sense or security in such a suicidal course?

Cotton is grown on a commercial basis in more than 200 of Texas' 254 counties, and to take care of this crop there are 4,000 gins, 150 cotton seed oil mills, more than 100 cotton compresses and hundreds of storage warehouses.

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"Keep 'em flying" and defend America! Buy defense savings stamps at your favorite retail store today. Defense savings stamps are on sale at chain stores and many independent stores, making it convenient for all to save money and help defend America. Buy at least one every day!

### LADIES' AID SOCIETY MEETS

Mrs. L. A. Mechler was hostess to the Ladies' Aid Society of St. Paul's Lutheran Church Wednesday afternoon, September 3rd. The meeting was opened with song and prayer, and the pastor, Rev. Paul Czerkus, read from Matthew, Chapter 16. The Society decided to have a cake sale on Saturday, September 27th. The flower committee for the month was appointed as follows: Mrs. L. A. Mechler and Mrs. Milton Heyen.

Refreshments of devil food cake squares and brick ice cream were served to the following members and guests: Rev. Czerkus, Mesdames Alfred Breiten, Robert Graff, Milton Heyen, Robert Schulze, Amanda Muennink, C. F. Haass, F. R. Grube, Wm. Mussmann, Edgar Stiegler, Felix Stiegler, Andrew Schuehle, Ben Graff, H. E. Haass, Wm. Biediger of Castroville, Walter Knorr of Corpus Christi, Milton Mechler, E. C. Buchorn, Wm. Boemer, W. A. Albrecht and Miss Dorothy Fresenius of San Antonio, and Mrs. L. A. Mechler.

### HONORED WITH BIRTHDAY DINNER

Honoring Mrs. H. J. Lindeburg on her eightieth birthday anniversary, a barbecue dinner was held under the big oak trees at her home Sunday, August 31st. Those present to help the honoree celebrate were the following: Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Lindeburg and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Otto to Lindeburg and children, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lindeburg and children, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Grell and children, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Nienhofer and son, Mr. John Lindeburg and daughter, Darlene Wendland of Hondo; Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Mussmann and children, Mr. and Mrs. Sedan Breiten, Mrs. C. R. Berry and children of George West; Mrs. Annie Schulze and son, John, Mrs. B. King and sons, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Strosser, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Benfer and children, of San Antonio; Mr. and Mrs. John Fehrmann and sons of Houston; and Mr. Anton Heilemann and family. Everyone left wishing Mrs. Lindeburg many more happy birthdays.

By One of the Crowd.

### THE METHODIST CHURCH

We had two fine services last Sunday; one addition to the church at the morning service.

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Our ads  
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By the savings  
Therein offered you;  
The frugal buyer earns by saving  
And thus profits by reading the  
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LEINWEBER'S

SHERWIN-WILLIAMS PAINTS  
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Fresh molasses For Sale. H. O.  
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For paint that stays put see the  
HONDO LUMBER CO. ttf

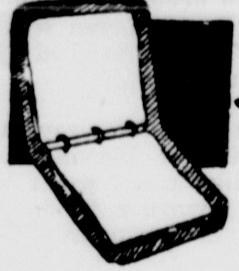
GOLD SEAL CONGOLEUM  
RUGS. LEINWEBER'S.

Corporal Hugh Meyer was out  
from Dodd Field, San Antonio last  
Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Droitcourt Jr.  
of San Antonio spent the week-end  
in the O. H. Miller home.

## WINDROW DRUG NEWS

### SCHOOL SUPPLIES



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School Supplies, 1 only. BOOM-  
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SUPPLIES.

See our assortment of note  
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Make it easy for your children  
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#### SCHOOL CHILDREN NEED VITAMINS

VITA-VIM Capsules—30 day  
treatment, \$3.50 value for \$2.00  
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### HONDO LIONS

VS.

### SABINAL LIONS

All players will be dressed in the latest  
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You are cordially invited to

## HONDO, TEXAS

FOR THE

### ANNUAL FESTIVAL

OF

### St. John's Catholic Church

SEPTEMBER 14, 1941

MASSES AT 6:30, 8, 10:00, 11:00

### DAILY LIVESTOCK MARKET REPORT

Tuesday, September 2, 1941

San Antonio, Sept. 2—HOGS. Estimated salable and total receipts 1,000. Tuesday's post-holiday market in the hog division found trade moderately active although prices ruled mostly 25¢ lower than last week Friday. The day's top of \$11.25 took most good and choice 180-270 lb. butchers. Comparable grade 160-180 lbs. cleared at \$10.75-11.25 150-160 lbs. came in at \$10.25-10.75. Most sows averaging 400 lbs. and under cashed at \$10.00-10.25. Feeder pigs carried a firm price trend at \$9.00-\$9.50.

CATTLE: Estimated salable and total receipts 1,900; CALVES, 2,600. Slaughter steer and yearling supplies Tuesday proved relatively small. Various lots common and medium yearlings sold on a steady basis at \$7.50-8.75 with little offered to exceed the latter figure. Medium grade grass steers cashed at \$8.75-9.25. Around 200 head 1168 lb. grass steers sold to arrive at \$9.25.

Slaughter cow trade proved more active than late last week with values ruling fully steady. Most beef offerings turned at \$5.75-7.25 and a few strictly good lots up to \$7.75. A spread of \$4.00-5.75 took most canners and cutters with only occasional shelly canners down to \$3.50. Sausage bulls found steady outlet at \$6.50-7.50, odd head strong weights to \$7.65. Cutter grade lightweights occasionally dropped to \$5.75. Killer calves found release at steady to strong rates with instances 25¢ higher on medium grade offerings. Most good and choice cleared at \$9.75-10.75 while common and medium earned \$7.50-9.50. Culls rarely dropped below \$6.00.

Generally steady rates took stockers and feeders. Good and choice steer calves earned \$10.50-12.50 while choice under 300 lb. lots cashed at \$12.75-13.00. Heifer calves were included at \$10.50-11.50. Mixed steers and heifers cleared \$12.25. Medium and good yearling stockers cleared \$9.00-10.00.

SHEEP: Estimated salable and total receipts 1,100. Sheep and goat sales were slow to develop but rounded out about steady. A load shorn medium grade aged wethers cashed at \$4.25. Medium and good selections were quotable around \$4.75-5.00. A few slaughter goats brought \$3.00-3.50 spread with a few closely sorted up to \$4.00. Spring feeder lambs earned \$7.50-8.00 and solid mouth breeding ewes moved on country account at \$4.50 per head.

GLEN L. ELLISON,  
Local Representative.

#### WORLD SERIES SPECIAL

GILLETTE TECH RAZOR with  
five Gillette Blue Blades, only 49c,  
at FLY DRUG CO.

#### Do Your Meals Talk Back?

This is often a symptom of acid  
indigestion. Sour, gassy stomach and  
heartburn frequently follow unwise  
eating and drinking. ADLA Tablets  
relieve quickly. Get ADLA from  
your druggist. WINDROW DRUG  
STORE.

Let  
Us send  
In your renewal  
Subscriptions to your papers;  
Our commission on most of them  
Will pay for Farming for you and  
we both profit.

All kinds of drinks, at CARLE'S  
INFECTORY

**WE BUY EGGS. CHAPMAN  
MILL AND GRAIN CO., Hondo, ttf**

One-Cent Wall Paper Sale now on.  
Stocks limited. ALAMO LUMBER  
COMPANY

Mrs. W. W. Mansell of San Antonio  
was the week-end guest of her  
sister, Mrs. R. D. Burdin.

Mr. and Mrs. Sid Carter and family  
were here from East Texas visiting  
friends last week-end.

For Hemstitching see Mrs. R. W.  
Speece, at residence opposite north-  
west corner of courthouse. ttf

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Schuchart of  
San Antonio were guests of Mr. and  
Mrs. Felix Batot last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Chancey King of San  
Antonio visited Mr. and Mrs. V. P.  
King and family here over Labor  
Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Brown and baby  
of San Antonio visited her parents,  
Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Ney, last week-  
end.

Four Vitamins With Iron, a resis-  
tance-building and all-round tonic.  
Let us show it to you. WINDROW  
DRUG STORE.

Cooper's Cattle Dip, testing fluid  
and tablets. Cutter Blacklegol Vac-  
cine.—Large supply at WINDROW  
DRUG STORE. ttf

Mr. Temple Ingram, enroute from  
Eagle Pass to Austin, paid the  
Fletcher Davis family a brief visit  
Monday evening.

Merrill Stiegler was here from  
Floresville last week-end visiting his  
parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Stiegler,  
and other relatives here.

For foot comfort use NYAL  
FOOT BALM at night. NYAL  
EASE'M POWDER during the day.  
WINDROW DRUG STORE.

**BATTERIES EVEN LESS THAN  
\$2.99 EXCHANGE. ALL BAT-  
TERIES FULLY GUARANTEED.**  
RATH SERVICE STATION.

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reading the classified ads. Others  
with something to sell find them  
profitable advertising mediums. So  
will you; try it.

Please remember, we can go any-  
where when our services are desired  
day or night. Just ring Phone 75,  
and we will attend to everything.—  
NO. A. HORGAN, Funeral Director

Mrs. Claud Sparkey and two sons,  
Melvin and Teddy, of San Antonio  
spent last week here with her mother,  
Mrs. Florence Love. Mrs. Love  
spent the three weeks of her summer  
vacation on a visit to her other  
daughter, Mrs. M. T. Giles, at Fort  
Lewis, Washington. Mrs. Sparkey  
was formerly Annie Love and Mrs.  
Giles will be remembered as Hope  
Love.

Misses Gloria Cude, Doris Closia,  
Ethel Schuman, and Ethelyn Ney of  
San Antonio stopped by here Monday  
evening returning from a four  
days' trip through different parts of  
West Texas and New Mexico. They  
visited Carlsbad, New Mexico, by  
way of Fort Stockton and on up  
through the White Sands and Cloud-  
croft over to El Paso, visiting friends  
and relatives there. Miss Ney will  
remain here for a week visiting her  
parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Ney.

Send that boy or girl who is away  
from home for the school term a  
copy of the hometown paper each  
week. Whether away at school either  
as students or teachers, they are going  
to get lonesome and more or less  
homesick at times for news from  
their old familiar haunts—news you  
won't think to write them or find  
time to tell them in detail. A copy  
of this paper will come to them like  
a visitor from home, and you can  
have it mailed to them regularly  
each week for the length of the term  
for only \$1.00. Send it to them now.

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Horse-drawn Mowing Machine  
Oliver Tractor, Complete with all  
farming equipment, including  
12-ft. rake and triple disc  
Allis-Chalmers 2-Row Equipment,  
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Two lots, forming the northwest  
corner of block facing Highway 90  
for sale at a reasonable price and on  
moderate terms. For particulars see  
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Land Co. ttf

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# Men Marooned

By GEORGE MARSH

"Oh, Mr. Swan! You can't be really serious," said Joan, appearing in a doorway. "Mrs. Cameron expects me and I'm sure my reputation is good enough to survive the walk there with Mr. Guthrie." She was talking as one coaxes a child, and Guthrie bit his lips in an attempt to stifle a laugh.

"Miss Quarrier, you know my wishes. If you choose to disregard them—"

"Mr. Guthrie is an educated gentleman," broke in Joan, "not a cave man. I will be home by ten o'clock."



She Laughed Merrily.

Good night!" And crowding past the discomfited Swan, Joan Quarrier closed the door of the mission in his face.

"It is not difficult to tell who's commanding here," chuckled Guthrie.

"I don't like to humiliate the little man. He means well enough but if they will send weak men to work in this country, and the Oblates strong ones, like your friend, Pere Rousseau, the Indians will flock to the French."

"But Cameron tells me you've done wonders with the orphan Crees."

"Oh, yes! I've been useful to them—that's why he doesn't dare exert the authority which my honorable brother bestowed upon him. Imagine, nursing

## ABOUT PEOPLE YOU KNOW

**Val Verde County Herald.** Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Zuberbueler spent the week-end in Dunlap and Londo, having gone down for a visit before the opening of school.—Comstock News.

**Uvalde Leader-News.**

Mr. and Mrs. Woodie Chapman of Londo spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Richarz.

Miss Jonell Richarz attended the annual celebration in Castroville yesterday.—Trio Items.

Miss Mary Ruth Cameron, Social Worker for WPA district 10, San Antonio, is working in Uvalde this week.

Mrs. John Schwae, a recent bride, the honoree at a lovely shower given at the home of Mrs. Lizzie Ornbusch. Co-hostesses with Mrs. Ornbusch were Mesdames Alvin Wesley Wiemers and Miss Minnie Wiemers. Mrs. Schwae received a number of lovely and useful gifts. Mr. and Mrs. Schwae are making their home in Knippa.

**Sabinal Sentinel.**

Mrs. W. F. Tampke, Mrs. W. A. Banks and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Patterson were visitors in Hondo Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Porter, J. E. and Ida Fay, were business visitors Hondo Monday—Utopia News.

**Nacosa County Monitor.**

Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Steinle and daughter, Dorothy Marie, attended the annual church celebration at Casville Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Steinle had for guests Thursday Mr. and Mrs. A. Tuerpe and August Tschirhart Castroville.

Francis Richter of Devine was a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carter Snooks last Thursday.

Richter, cousin of Mr. Snooks, is in Jourdanton on business.

Miss Dorothy Marie Steinle returned Sunday from a week's visit with Miss Mildred Mangold in La-

Pryor New Era.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Tondre and Iden visited in San Antonio and Coste Wednesday.

Mrs. Oscar Reicherzer of LaCoste the guest of her sister, Mrs. Geo. Andre.

Mrs. Louis Schott of Castroville spent several days this week visiting son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Keller.

Glenn and Leatrice Jacqueline of Castroville are visiting the wife and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Keller, this week.

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three years in France, and having Mr. Swan to guide my faltering feet!" She laughed merrily, as they swung through the stinging air of the clearing.

The man beside her was hardly aware of his moccasins touching the brittle snow, so lifted in spirits was he with the nearness of the girl whose strange decision to winter at Albany defied analysis.

"You didn't tell me this afternoon why you deceived me as to your whereabouts in your Christmas letter," he hazarded.

"If I had told you, would you have come to see me?" she asked, turning her hood and meeting his eyes with frank, impersonal gaze.

"Yes!"

"That is the reason."

"You mean you didn't want to see me?"

"I mean that you had your work to do—it would have interfered."

He walked for a space in silence, then turned to her. "You are that kind of a woman—you understand."

"I hope so."

He was thrilled by the thought that Joan Quarrier's friendship was like that. But why had she stayed? Could it be that after the photographs she had seen at Elkwan with their inscriptions, she had stayed nevertheless at Albany because—because what? He could tell her now that he was free, since his reply to Ethel's letter which went out that afternoon to Moose. But what had his freedom to do with the girl whose overshoes crunched the snow beside him?

"I would like to ask you a question," he said at length.

Her laugh rippled on the frosty air.

"This sounds interesting, Mr. Exile, but to avoid anti-climax you should wait for our walk back—the moon will be up then."

"The question won't wait," he replied. "Has your brother written you of my engagement?"

"Yes."

"Thank you! I wanted to tell you that it has been broken—by her—in this Christmas mail."

In silence the girl walked, stiffly, Garth thought, watching her with head turned to the river. He looked but could not see her face, buried in the fur hood.

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"Evidently," said Garth grimly. If there was capacity for feeling in this girl, he thought, she'll show it now.

"My brother has done with me, you see. I've disgraced the family."

"No, I don't see," she said, hoarsely, gazing straight ahead. "My brother has told that story in Montreal—Injured you beyond reparation—my brother!"

"I'm sorry I told you," he replied, shocked at the depth of her emotion.

"But I wanted you to know that my shackles are off—I'm a free man. I wanted you to know—"

In the tide of emotion which stirred him, Guthrie faltered, stopped. The shoulders of the girl lifted in a sob, as she turned to conceal her distress.

He touched her, thrilling at the contact. "Please—I'm so sorry!" he said.

"My brother!—How low, utterly low!" he heard her say. Then she got herself in hand—straightened, and said: "I will write at once to your brother."

"You'll do no such thing. Do you suppose I'd allow you to sell yourself with this family row? Your brother has unintentionally done me a service, for which I thank him."

Jean's dark brows contracted, as she gravely searched his face. "You—are not joking—you mean it?"

"I mean every syllable of it. Now let's forget it all and get on to the Camerons' before you freeze out here! It's growing sharp," he said, but what he meant was: If you stand there another second looking at me like that, Joan Quarrier, I'll kiss you.

The talk of the factor's was not allowed by that jubilant fur trader to stray far from the mad raid on Akimiski by Garth and Etienne, and the medicine-making of old Saul. From the mouth of Cameron, Joan Quarrier learned the details of the desperate effort to save the trade and its ultimate success.

"Aren't you proud of yourself, Mr. Exile?" she said as Cameron finished, and her patent joy in his success was like wine to his blood. "And Shot, too, he earned his citation—but how gruesome it was—awful!"

As he walked beside her under the frosted stars to the mission, Guthrie strove to shift the conversation to the personal—to recapture the note struck with such poignancy when she learned the aftermath of her brother's story in Montreal, but the armor of her reserve defied him. Baffled by her mood, but respecting it, he asked if he might come to say goodbye the following morning, and left her at the mission door.

To the man whose love had been on his lips when his hand touched her shoulder, the new mood of the girl defied analysis. He had left the Camerons' full of what Joan Quarrier had come to mean to him—hungry to tell her there above the white Albany what he had first sensed that September night, caught in the magic of her nearness. Here, on the rim of the world, with only the glittering stars to see, he would have offered the scarred face and the love of Garth Guthrie, black sheep; but she had known his purpose and closed his lips. Yet why, unless the exile up the coast had meant more than a passing friendship, had she stayed on to the drudgery—the unspeakable monotony of the mission?

## CHAPTER XI

She was waiting in the clearing when Shot leaped up, sniffed, looked at her curiously, then pawed her joyfully with fore feet.

"Shot, you know me?" And she rubbed the ears of the wriggling sledge dog.

"He has a good memory for his friends," said Garth, as the dog leaped in the snow around the pleased girl.

"I think it quite wonderful, though, that he should remember me. He knew me but five days."

Garth's mouth curled. "His master knew you no longer." And the factor of Elkwan revelled in the slow color that touched her temples—the swift flickering of heavy-lashed lids.

"His master had reason to remember the guests who insulted him in his own house."

"One of his guests," countered Guthrie, "was an angel of mercy. We seldom forget the visitation of angels, do we?"

"And the other—an ungrateful scoundrel-monger."

"I told you last night he was a blessing in disguise."

She looked squarely in his eyes as she said: "But I did not believe you, Mr. Exile."

With a gesture of helplessness, he insisted. "But how am I to prove it to an unbeliever?"

Her eyes clouded. "Let's walk along the shore," she parried, and led the way, Shot circling her, begging for a frolic.

"You're trying again for the spring trade from the island?" she asked.

"Oh, with Souci there, and the echo of his spirit voices in their ears, we shall hold the hunters who crossed the strait."

"Then Elkwan will have a wonderful year?"

"Yes, the best in its history."

"Because of its new factor."

"Because of Etienne Savanne and Saul Souci."

"No," vehemently, "because you went inland and found Souci, and had the nerve to cross the channel through the ice in a York boat, then took a long chance over the new ice to reach the island in time; Mr. Cameron knows."

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"Your friend will be very glad to see you."

At the door of the mission, she met his reluctant good-by with a smile so personal—so like a caress that the hand he gave her shook like a leaf in the wind.

"My friend," he repeated under his breath as he followed Shot back to Etienne and the waiting dog team, "my friend—my world."

Hour by hour, over the coast ice, the light sled reeled off the miles. So good was the going, so keen the five great huskies for the trail, that the men left their robes only to stretch their legs. The forty miles to the Big Willow River slid past by early afternoon, and the hungry men turned to the river mouth to build a fire from driftwood and boil their kettle.

Twenty miles directly across the strait, the gray Akimiski hills parted to form Seal Cove.

"I'd give a good deal to know how they took the news over there of the loss of the northern fur," Etienne, said Guthrie, busy with his plate of beans and bacon. "Hello! There's a team coming in over the ice. Wonder who it is."

For a time Etienne studied the black object through the binoculars, but when the kettle and fry-pan had been stowed and the sled cover re-lashed, two rifles in their skin cases rode by the sides of the passengers.

A mile from the noon camp at the river the sled, evidently headed for the mouth of the Kapiskau, drew in-

side the gray Akimiski hills parted to form Seal Cove.

"A hunter from de Kapiskau. We will now hear how dey swear on de schooner dis Christmas."

The dog-team slowed to a walk and they were within speaking distance.

"Kequay!" called Savanne. "We're you go?"

Leaving his panting dogs, who

were hurried to the sled from Elkwan. As he approached, it was evident to the two men that the Cree was laboring under strong excitement. His sled was heavily loaded and his hard breathing indicated that he had run much crossing the strait. Staggering up, he gasped: "De boat—ovair dere! All gone! McDonald Ha! Ha! dead—dead!"

"What?" cried Garth, "the schooner's crew—dead?"

"You come from dere—you see dem?" demanded the astute Etienne.

A sinewy hand shot out, and gripping the Cree's shoulder, shook him violently.

"You see dem? How many?" repeated the half-breed, searching the Indian's face in an attempt to probe the truth of his statement.

"I see one dead man. No answer when I yell," insisted the other, and seemingly at the memory of the ship of the dead, his small eyes filled with dread.

"What happened? Was this man shot?" demanded Garth, exchanging glances with Savanne.

"He die of sickness—I look an' run. It was ver' bad down dere en' dead boat," said the Indian with a shudder.

"What's the dogs there?"

"I see no dog."

"Were you from?" snarled Savanne, thrusting a face fierce with suspicion, into the Cree's.

"From de Kapiskau. I go to de boat to trade some fox."

"You get dat flour from de boat—steal it!" hazarded Etienne, guessing at the nature of the bulky load on the Indian's sled.

The Cree nodded. "Dey not use it now."

The swart face of the head man at Elk

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## Washington Snapshots by JAMES PRESTON

Although the dramatic Roosevelt-Churchill sea meeting has tended to throw domestic news into the background, it has at the same time focused attention more strongly than before on American defense efforts. In the light of the statement by Lord Beaverbrook, British Supply Minister, that Britain needs "more and more of everything," officials here say that our defense program will be expanded from beginning to end. The fact that it will probably exceed all previous estimates brings up again the problem of "bottleneck-busting".

One of the bottlenecks that is coming in for more consideration is that of discrimination against workers who want to work and who have the necessary skills but who, either because they don't belong to a union or because they can't join one, are barred from employment.

Already there is a serious shortage of skilled labor in many sections of the country, and the increasing demands of defense production are making it more imperative than ever that everyone who can work should be allowed to do so. Because of strikes and racial discrimination many people at the present time are not given that right. It is pointed out here that Negroes, for example, often face an insurmountable barrier in this connection. While the President has barred such discrimination in defense jobs, the path that leads to such employment is still not entirely open to them.

—WSS—

The discrimination that is leveled against them by labor unions like many of those affiliated with the American Federation of Labor is one of the primary causes of this condition, according to informed sources. The A. F. of L. still permits its member trade unions to write clauses in their constitutions barring Negroes from membership in them and specifically setting forth a definite racial characteristic as a requirement for membership. Phrases like "any white person" . . . "applicants for membership must be white" . . . any moral person of the white race" occur again and again. The phraseology differs slightly, but the idea stays the same.

On closed shop jobs Negroes are thus effectively barred from work, regardless of how badly their contribution may be needed by the industries involved. When Congress looks into racial discrimination against Negroes, observers are wondering what will be the reaction of the A. F. of L., now that William Green, its president, has been named a member of the Fair Practices committee, organized to enforce the edit against racial discrimination in defense.

—WSS—

The problem is admittedly a complicated one, and while its existence may be traced to several factors, those familiar with the facts point out that the industries involved are not to blame. Industry has taken the position that the "right to work is one of the most sacred rights of every individual" and should not be denied.

A statement issued by Walter D. Fuller, president of the National Association of Manufacturers, says that "such union restrictions and the less tangible but realistic prejudices of fellow workers are far more important factors than any arbitrary discrimination on the part of employers. Generally speaking, employers seek efficient workers and are glad to employ those who can contribute to production . . ."

—WSS—

Now that the subject is out in the open, observers are wondering what the Government will do about the existence of official discrimination in its own ranks. The Army's policy that Negroes shall be enrolled and trained in segregated units has often been mentioned in this connection, but there are many other instances that could be cited.

Opinion in informed quarters is suggesting that some officials have sought to concentrate the heat engendered in this issue on industry, whereas the fact seems to be that both the Government and labor might well put their own houses in order.

The State Fair of Texas will show more livestock in the 1941 Fair than has ever been shown in the entire South. Featuring this huge show will be a \$30,000 National Hereford Show and the National Aberdeen-Angus Show which is the first national show for this breed to be held in the Southwest.

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### LA COSTE LEDGERETES

#### The LaCoste Ledger. MRS. MARY CONRAD BURIED

Services were conducted Wednesday, August 27, 1941, for Mrs. Mary Ann Conrad, 71 years of age, 602 Mission Street, San Antonio, who died Tuesday morning in Alice after being ill for some time. The funeral was held Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock from the Porter Loring chapel and at 4:30 o'clock from St. Gerard's Catholic Church, Rev. Father John Dailey, officiating, with interment in San Jose Burial Park. Mrs. Conrad was a native of Medina County and had lived in San Antonio two years. She had many friends and relatives in LaCoste and surrounding communities who were in San Antonio Wednesday for the funeral services. The deceased is survived by six daughters, Miss Lindy Conrad, Mrs. W. C. Dickerson, Mrs. John T. Deckert and Mrs. Charles D. Woods, all of San Antonio; Mrs. Seale Martin of Alice and Mrs. D. N. Nichols of Karnes City; five sons, A. M. Conrad and Ellis T. Conrad, both of Houston; A. W. Conrad and C. A. Conrad, both of San Antonio, and Paul Conrad of Karnes City; three sisters, Mrs. Albert Biediger of Castroville, Mrs. Frank Bohl and Mrs. Katie Reicherzer, both of LaCoste; one brother, Fritz Eiter, of LaCoste; ten grandchildren and one great grandchild.

Mrs. Ellis Wurzbach and son, Ricky, returned to their home in Shreveport, La., last week after having visited relatives at Rio Medina and San Antonio for some time. They were accompanied home by Mr. Alfred Rihn and daughter, Vivian, Mrs. A. N. Mangold, Mrs. Rosa Biediger and Douglas and Rodney Kempf, who visited a few days with the Wurzbachs before returning home.

Victor Tondre from Castroville was a business visitor in LaCoste Tuesday morning.

Joe W. Steine from Cliff was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rihn and family here Wednesday.

August Wurzbach and baby from Rio Medina were visitors in LaCoste Tuesday morning.

Miss Helen Magnus from Macdona was in LaCoste on business Monday morning of this week.

Dan Biediger from Spindletop was a business visitor in LaCoste Monday.

Frank Miksch from Ashton visited with Mr. and Mrs. Alex Jungman here Monday.

Private Herbert Weiben from Fort Sam Houston was here on business last Friday.

J. F. Schott from Castroville was a short visitor here Wednesday.

Miss Clara Scherrer of San Antonio spent Sunday with homefolks at the Sauz.

M. L. Becker from Macdona was a business visitor in LaCoste last Thursday.

Mrs. R. J. Mangold and children spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Hutzler and son at Dunlay.

Miss Josephine Ann Rihn from LaCoste is spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Hutzler and daughter in San Antonio.

Charles Smith from Texarkana, Arkansas, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rihn and family here for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hitzfelder from Devine were visitors with relatives in LaCoste Tuesday.

Oscar Droitcourt returned to his home here Tuesday after a stay of several months at the Legion Hospital in Kerrville.

H. A. Tondre and Gervase Tondre from Castroville were visitors in LaCoste Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Mechler and sons, Miss Hazel Jungman and Tom Hardin of San Antonio spent the week-end with homefolks here.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bader from Three Points were business visitors in LaCoste Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Louise Miksch, who is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Alex Jungman here, was a visitor in San Antonio one day this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Roberts and friends from Pearsall visited Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rihn and family here Sunday evening.

Sheriff Charles J. Schuehle from Hondo was a brief business visitor in LaCoste Wednesday morning.

Miss Mathilda Adam from Jersey City, New Jersey, visited with relatives in LaCoste Thursday of last week.

Mrs. A. E. Salzman and daughters of San Antonio were the guests of Mrs. Otto Jungman here Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Nehr and children from D'Hanis were the guests of Mrs. Josephine Biediger here Sunday evening.

Miss Agnes Scherrer, who had been staying with homefolks last week, returned to San Antonio Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Celeste Mechler and daughter, Lucille, from Houston spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Adam and Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Adam at LaCoste and also were at Castroville Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Koch from San Antonio and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Rihn from here were visitors at Castroville and with Mr. and Mrs. Toby Koch at Hondo Sunday.

Mrs. Carolina McIlvaine and daughters, Eulah and Grace, of San Antonio visited with Mr. and Mrs. Phi A. Scherrer and family at the Saus Sunday evening.

George Adam and daughter, Rose Mary, from San Antonio visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Adam and Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Adam here Sunday and also attended the celebration at Castroville.

Mesdames Henry Mangold and Otto Jungman from here and Mr. and Mrs. Val. Mangold from Noonan at

tended the funeral of the late Mrs. G. G. Grabenheimer in San Antonio Wednesday.

Mrs. Daniel J. Christilles and little daughter, Joan, left Sunday for Fredericksburg where they will visit with Mrs. Christilles' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Moritz Hartman and other relatives this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jungman and family from Rio Medina and Johnny and Jerry Bendeles of San Antonio, who are visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Jungman, were all visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Alex Jungman here Tuesday.

Leonard Adam left last Friday for Portland, Oregon, where he will take over his duties as airplane mechanic inspector. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Adam, accompanied him as far as Fort Worth. Before coming home for a vacation he graduated from technical school at Chanute Field, Illinois.

Rev. John J. Gerbermann of LaCoste and his brother, Hugo Gerbermann, who had been visiting with him for several days, and Miss Josephine Meissner of LaCoste left Sunday for a brief vacation. Father Gerbermann and his brother visited with their mother at Nada, Texas, and Miss Meissner visited with relatives at Mentz.

Mrs. J. H. Steine and daughters, Naomi and Ellyn, from Dunlay spent Wednesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rihn and family.

### DEVINE NEWSLETS

#### The Devine News. YANCEY

Rev. and Mrs. Dechert, Mesdames J. N. Wilson and J. J. Tulloch and probably others left for Kerrville to attend a meeting of the Woman's Missionary Society of the Uvalde district. They will be there several days.

Rev. R. D. Williams of Moore preached here Sunday, filling his regular appointment.

Mrs. Milton Highsmith attended church here Sunday, while visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Highsmith.

Letters and cards from Mr. Fred Allen state that he arrived at Hermet, Calif., and has joined the air corps. Here's hoping that he will enjoy the California climate.

Mr. Cain, one of our last year's teachers came in Friday and is getting his football boys ready for action.

After serving thirty years and ten months as postmaster of Yancey, our retirement becomes effective on Aug. 31, 1941. (Sunday) We have enjoyed serving the people in that capacity, and if any errors were made, they were not made intentionally, and we thank the patrons of the Yancey post office for their patience with us during the past thirty years.

E. W. Wilson and family and Clarence Muennink and family made a trip to Carlsbad Cavern last week.

The families of the Bohmfalks and Hardts received a message Saturday that the husband of the former Miss Nora Muennink, who is a relative, had died at Uvalde. Interment was made there.

Mrs. Minnie Smith and daughters, Miss Minnie and Janie Lou are visiting their old home at Novice, near Coleman.

Mr. and Mrs. Coers and baby boy and Mr. and Mrs. Hensley and little son, are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Faseler.

Miss Anna Lee McAnally will teach at the Black Creek School for the ensuing term.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Beach and family of Kansas have arrived to make their home here. Mrs. Beach will be remembered as Miss Lizzie Oefinger, a graduate nurse.

### BIRY

Mrs. Franklin Fowler and children of Agua Dulce and Miss Mona Vance from San Antonio were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Heath.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bader had as guests this weekend Mrs. Ralph Bader and son of Victoria and Mr. and Mrs. Moody Jackson of Lubbock, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mueller and daughter of Brackettville.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Haass of San Antonio spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Biry.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Bendeles and daughter spent one day the past week here.

Mrs. Charles Godden Jr. and baby Charles, and Mrs. Tom Oliver spent Saturday in Hondo.

Mr. and Mrs. George Zimmerman had as guests relatives from San Antonio.

Miss Marsuette Bader returned after spending several weeks with Mrs. Chas. Mueller at Brackettville.

Quite a number from here attended the dinner at Castroville Saturday.

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Mrs. Fred Bowman and daughter, Wanda, spent a few days with relatives at Corpus Christi, last week.

Attorney Francis Richter has been making the rounds at Cotulla, Jourdanton and Hondo, recently; but is back in his office again looking well.

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### BANDERA NEWS

#### The Bandera New Era. TARPLEY

Boyd Ryle of San Antonio spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Ryle.

A. Jeffers and son made a business trip to Kerrville Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Allie Thallman and son of Bandera visited Mrs. R. N. Padgett Sunday.

Miss Allene Mazurek of San Antonio visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Mazurek, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Billings and children of San Antonio visited his mother, Mrs. Hattie Billings, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Saathoff and sons of San Antonio visited his mother, Mrs. M. L. Saathoff, Sunday.

M. B. Padgett attended the Fair at Fredericksburg over the weekend.

Robert Kelley of San Antonio was here on business Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Sandidge visited relatives at New Braunfels a few days last week.

John Tucker of Quemado visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Tucker, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Zay Smith of Houston and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bruff and daughters of San Antonio were guests of Mrs. F. A. Hicks last week.

Mrs. Leroy Eckhart and daughter, A. Lah, visited her father, J. W. Kothan, who is ill in San Antonio.

Chas. Boren and daughter of Leakey visited in the A. Siezak home Sunday. Thelma Joy and C. L. J. ren returned home after a two weeks' visit here.

Guests of Mrs. Jim Glass Saturday were Mrs. Phil Jagge of Hondo, Mrs. Joe Billings of San Antonio and Mrs. Eugene Schorp of Pearalls.

Jim Avant of Oklahoma visited his sister, Mrs. Emma Cobb, last week.

Helen Geuea and Lessmae Hubble of Bandera visited relatives and friends in Tarpley Tuesday.

Jim Glass and John Cozart made a business trip to Hondo Wednesday.

Mrs. Erwin Leinweber and daughter, Maxine Joyce, of Hondo visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Geuea, and other relatives Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Hicks and children visited relatives in San Antonio Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. Gene Ulrich, who has been seriously ill, is much improved at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Anderson and children went to Hondo Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Padgett and sons and Miss Mary Hicks have returned home after an extended visit in Houston.

Oscar Ross is visiting his

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Miss Jonell Richarz of Trio spent  
the week-end with her sister, Mrs.  
Woolie Chapman.

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corn, oats, hogari, maize; pay top  
prices. EARL WATSON.

Jake Schuehle of Ellington Field,  
Houston, spent the long week-end of  
Labor Day with his parents, Sheriff  
and Mrs. Chas. J. Schuehle.

Did you know that 25¢ is all it will  
cost you to have those dirty trousers  
cleaned and pressed at V. HORACE  
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ATION, Hondo.

Mr. Alvin Britsch, new manager  
of the Armstrong Cafe, which was  
opened Saturday, August 30th, is  
well pleased with the response of lo-  
cal patronage as well as tourist trade  
on opening day. Saturday a large  
number of visitors enjoyed free sand-  
wiches and coffee served by the man-  
agement from two until six o'clock.  
Britsch will continue the direct  
supervision of the Bob Cat Grill  
as Mrs. Britsch is in charge at the  
strong Cafe.

The South Reporter force was  
used to have the privilege of play-  
host recently to Mr. and Mrs.  
Davis of Hondo, Texas, and  
of the party who were visiting  
this part of the country with them.  
Upon his return home he kindly  
remembered us with a post card and  
that we considered rather clever  
on the back side was a picture  
a signboard that greets the eyes  
tourists as they enter the City of  
Hondo . . . and reads, "This is God's  
country, Don't Drive Through It  
like Hell!"—Ramblin' Around with  
Brown in The South Report-  
er, Holly Springs, Miss.

Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Stiegler ac-  
companied their son-n-law and  
daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Rosen,  
San Antonio, on a visit to Carls-  
Caverns. They went by way of  
Stockton and Pecos City, visiting  
the caverns on Monday, returning  
way of Van Horn and Marfa. At  
latter place Mr. Stiegler renew-  
acquaintance with several old  
friends whom he knew in his early  
days when he punched cattle  
in that territory. The party was  
greatly impressed with the Caverns  
and was amazed at the number of  
people visiting this wonder spot of  
nature. Three thousand visitors  
entered its depths on the Monday  
they were there, while Sunday set  
a record with 4,000 visitors.

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The Quihi Gun Club again invites  
you to its regular dance, Saturday  
night, September 6th. The music  
will be played by Lilly Homens' Mer-  
ry Makers.

Mrs. L. A. Wiemers of Hondo,  
Mrs. Felix Stenson of Rio Medina,  
and Mrs. Harrison Wilson of Yancey,  
left September 2, for Beaumont,  
Texas, for a meeting of the State  
Home Demonstration Association.  
They will represent the home demon-  
stration clubs and the work in Me-  
dia county.

Mrs. C. R. Gaines, Mrs. Arthur  
Wiede and Mrs. Robert Kollman and  
daughter, Patsy Lou, spent Wednes-  
day in San Antonio with Mrs. Una  
English and Mrs. R. W. Gaines. The  
latter returned Monday from an 8-  
weeks' stay with relatives in Chicka-  
sha, Oklahoma.

Mr. Henry Vogel underwent an  
operation for an injured leg in a San  
Antonio hospital last week. Although  
he was very sick, he is improved at  
this time.

Otis Schuehle spent the week-end  
here with his parents, Sheriff and  
Mrs. Chas. Schuehle. He was accom-  
panied home by his wife who had  
spent the week here.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Schultz and  
children of San Antonio and Steve  
Fillerman of Houston spent the week-  
end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs.  
Charles Fillerman, and family.

Laure Stiegler arrived Tuesday  
from Houston for a few days' visit  
with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A.  
Stiegler. Mr. Stiegler is manager of  
Monday, accompanied by his father.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wiede of  
Lockhart came for the Street Dance  
Saturday night and remained for a  
holiday visit with her parents, Mr.  
and Mrs. C. R. Gaines. Mr. Wiede  
returned to Lockhart Monday and  
Mrs. Wiede left Thursday after a  
longer visit here. She was accom-  
panied as far as San Antonio by Mr.  
Gaines.

The County Council of the Home  
Demonstration clubs will meet at  
2:00 o'clock P. M. in the court room  
of the Medina County Court House.  
All members and all Exhibit Day  
Committee members are urged to be  
present, for the final arrangements  
for Exhibit Day must be made, so  
that council members can give definite  
information to their home clubs.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward Boehne ac-  
companied Mr. and Mrs. Frank Haby  
and two daughters, Dorothy and  
Dahlia, Mr. Ambrose Haby, and Mr.  
and Mrs. Daniel Keller and baby, of  
Rio Medina, and George Holzhaus of  
Castroville on a drive Sunday which  
took them to San Antonio, Boerne,  
Fredericksburg, Kerrville and Bandera.  
They saw many interesting  
things, including the Balanced Rock  
near Fredericksburg.

Mr. and Mrs. John Earle Barden  
and son, Ray, and daughter, Hazel,  
of George West, Tex., arrived Satur-  
day to spend the week-end with Mrs.  
Mussmann's mother, Mrs. H. J.  
Lindenburg, and other relatives here.  
They came to help Mrs. Lindenburg  
celebrate her birthday anniversary  
Sunday.

Mrs. James Knapp and little  
daughter, Gale Ellis, arrived last  
week-end from Stamford, Texas,  
on a two-weeks' visit with her  
parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Finger. Mrs.  
Knapp was accompanied by Miss  
Rosemary Finger, who returned  
home after spending several weeks  
with her sister in Stamford.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Davis and sons,  
F. M. Jr. and Rothe, arrived Saturday  
from Paris, Texas, for a short  
visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs.  
L. F. Rothe and Mr. and Mrs.  
Fletcher Davis. They left early Monday  
morning for Carlsbad, New Mexico,  
and after a tour of the Caverns,  
will return to their home in  
North Texas.

John Russell Crouch spent Mon-  
day and Tuesday here with his moth-  
er, Mrs. Ione Crouch. He spent the  
summer in Kerrville where he was  
counselor in a boy's camp, and just  
returned to Kerrville Friday from a  
week's visit in Santa Fe, New Mexico.  
He left Tuesday for Houston  
where he will be in charge of a boys  
recreational club this year.

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Following is a copy of the original  
bill of sale now in the hands of Mr.  
Ed Ney. It was among the reliques in  
the possession of his father, the late  
Joe Ney, who found it among the  
papers belonging to his father, Joe  
Ney, Sr., the man in whose favor it  
was made:

Know all men by these presents  
that I, W. A. Menger of San Antonio,  
Co. of Bexar, State of Texas—have  
this day sold to Joseph Ney of  
Dhanis, for and in consideration of  
the sum of Two hundred and fifty  
dollars to me in hand paid—a negro  
boy named "Jack" about 16 years  
of age and of black complexion.—  
I fully guarantee the said boy Jack  
sound in body and a slave for life.  
San Antonio May the 25th 1864.

W. A. Menger.

Witness: A. Moyer.

This bill of sale of a slave is prob-  
ably one among the last issued in  
America, as Lincoln had already is-  
sued his emancipation proclamation  
on January 1, 1863, nearly a year  
and a half previous to the date of  
sale, and the surrender of the last  
Confederate command about a year  
later than the date of sale confirmed  
the decree.

"Jack" remained in and about  
D'Hanis the remainder of his life,  
more or less pensioner on his white  
friends. He never had any family  
and died some ten or twelve years  
ago, if we remember right, a charge  
on the county, and was buried by  
members of his race in their ceme-  
tery out on the creek north of town.

**CATHOLIC SERVICES**

Sunday Masses (summer months)  
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Mr. and Mrs. W. Q. Byer and  
daughter, Mrs. Thomas Rushing, and  
son, W. Q. Byer Jr., and granddaugh-  
ter, Kathrine Rushing, all of Anson,  
Texas, spent the week-end with Mr.  
and Mrs. Paul Reily and family. The  
senior Mr. Byer is Mrs. Reily's brother.

As we are going to press with this  
paper Thursday night, an important  
meeting of the Medina County Wild-  
life Conservation Association is  
being held at the courthouse in  
obedience to the call for the same  
by its chairman, Mr. Ed H. Seekatz  
of Mico.

The G. & M. Food Store had a  
gala day Saturday, when the Ameri-  
can Maid Blue Ridge Playboys, who  
also furnished music for the street  
dance, entertained the customers  
from three until six o'clock in front  
of the store.

Judge and Mrs. Arthur H. Rothe  
and Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Magee Jr. of  
San Antonio spent Sunday and Mon-  
day at ConCan and enjoyed a drive  
up above Leakey to the headwaters  
of the Frio River.

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Texas, the following dates were se-  
lected for the 1942 Seventh Annual  
Show, as follows: February 21st to  
28th (inclusive), 1942. (Above dates  
tentative, subject to proposed new  
building). Also in the 1942 Show,  
classes in the "Fat Steer Calf Division"  
will be divided and judged in  
four general classes (by breeds and  
two weight brackets), briefly as fol-  
lows: Herefords, Aberdeen-Angus,  
Shorthorns, Brahmans. Calves eligi-  
ble for entry may be purebred, grade  
or cross-breeds and all must have  
been dropped between September  
1st, 1940 and September 1st, 1941.  
As usual, all entries must qualify  
under general rules of the 1942  
Show Catalogue.

Two prized possessions of Vice  
President John Nance Garner—300  
original cartoons by the nation's  
leading artists and 200 of the oddest  
gavels in the world—have been  
brought to the University of Texas  
campus. Gift of the Vice President  
to the Texas Memorial Museum, the  
Garner collection represents one of  
the most unusual exhibits the museum  
has acquired. Dr. E. H. Sellards,  
director, said in making the presen-  
tation, Mr. Garner said that he knew  
of no better place for his gift than  
the Texas Memorial Museum, com-  
pleted in 1939 after a \$300,000 fund-  
raising campaign in which he himself had  
taken a spirited part.

Henry Poehler of New Fountain  
accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Carl  
Poehler of Brackettville to Twin  
Sisters, where they visited Carl  
Poehler's brother, Alfred, and family  
Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Howard Jr. of  
Pearall and Mr. and Mrs. T. C.  
Barnes from here and Mr. Barnes'  
grandchildren, Jimmy and Brenda  
Sue Barden, of Houston, spent the  
week-end at Garner Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Ney and family  
had as their guests last Sunday Mr.  
and Mrs. W. W. English of Austin  
and Edmund Ney of San Antonio.  
Mrs. English is the mother of Mayor  
Tom Miller of Austin.

Mr. and Mrs. James Duncan and  
Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Taylor spent  
Sunday and Monday in Sonora visiting  
Mr. Duncan's sister, Miss Annie  
Duncan. They returned by way of  
Del Rio Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Jungman en-  
joyed a drive to Garner Park, Mount-  
ain Home, Kerrville and Bandera  
on Labor Day.

Mrs. F. H. Hollmig was able to re-  
turn home Wednesday after several  
days' medical treatment at Medina  
Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Richter have  
moved in to town from their farm  
and are residing in their house in  
Southeast Hondo.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Bader and  
Miss Jacqueline Hollmig were visitors  
in Fredericksburg on Labor Day.

If your name isn't among the personal  
items of this paper DO SOMETHING  
ABOUT IT!

"WESTBOUND STAGE"—Friday  
and Saturday, latest hang-up West-  
ern with Tex Ritter acting as judge,  
jury, hangman and undertaker on  
the wildest, toughest range in  
America.

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# D'Hanis Doings

A round-up of Local, Personal and Business Items gathered weekly by our regular Correspondent

## Miss Josie Rothe

To whom all items intended for this column should be handed not later than Wednesday noon of each week. Miss Rothe is authorized to collect and receipt for money due this paper.

D'HANIS, TEXAS, WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 3, 1941

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Haegelin of Hondo spent two days last week as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Schuchart.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Ephraim and son, Paul, spent Labor Day in Corpus Christi.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Brown and family of Del Rio were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Nester.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Ney and Mr. L. J. Finger visited Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Finger and family in Skidmore Wednesday and Thursday. Mrs. Joe F. Finger and little daughter, Carolyn, returned with them and left for their home in El Paso Saturday after an extended visit here.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Ewert and children of Helotes were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Schuchart Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Carle, Misses Elaine Biry and Marybelle Carle, and Joseph Koch and Sammie Zerr spent Sunday in Laredo.

Oliver Reinhart Jr. of A. and M. College is spending the week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Reinhart.

Miss Lena Reinhart and Ferdinand Louis Rothe visited Mrs. M. P. Twomey and Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Magee Jr. in San Antonio Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Schweers of San Antonio were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ed S. Koch.

Mr. Alfred Nester is in San Antonio where he is under medical care because of a serious eye ailment.

Mrs. Pete Saathoff has returned home after a few days at Medina Hospital for medical attention.

Miss Eleanor Mae Lindstrom of San Antonio arrived Sunday to resume her duties as teacher of primary grades in the D'Hanis Public School. She is residing in the Ed Koch home.

James and Robert Love are attending the airplane mechanics school in San Antonio.

## BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. Hy. Biry was hostess to three tables of bridge on Thursday afternoon. Vari-colored zinnias were used profusely as decorations. Prizes were won by Mrs. Ferd Rock, high member, and Miss Ursie Lee Rock, high guest. Mrs. Ed Koch received the prize for low score and Mrs. Lena Langfeld cut high for the consolation prize.

A delicious salad course was served by the hostess. Others present were Mesdames Herman Ney, Ben Koch, Ed Finger, A. J. Finger, Eric Rothe, Chas. Langfeld, and Miss Tina Rothe and Connie Koch.

## D'HANIS SCHOOL NEWS

The D'Hanis Public Schools opened on Monday, Sept. 1, with a public assembly in the High School Auditorium. Members of the D'Hanis and Seco school boards and several patrons were present. Mr. Paul Reinhart, president of the local board of trustees, opened the meeting and introduced Mr. Hayden Willis, superintendent. Other new teachers are Mrs. Willis, 5th and 6th grades; Mr. Morrison, coach; and Mr. David Martin, agriculture. The assembly closed with singing, and the pupils went to their respective rooms for registration. The pupils of Seco School have been transferred, and are a welcome addition to the D'Hanis district.

## TO MARY ANNA

Oh, Mary Anna, having fun, Playing in the summer sun, Why did our Lord judge you so That you from us had to go? Could you not linger another day And come and visit me, and play? Now it is too late for that. The kitchen chair in which you sat Is now empty, but it holds A memory dear, and it enfolds All fond hopes and love for you, Whose sunny skies were always blue. May you be loved in your new home And stay as dear as you have grown. You are so young to go alone To that strange land of the unknown.

Mary Anna, there's just one thing— Stay beneath the Good Lord's wing. He'll protect you every day In a sort of personal way. Rest in peace, He's at your side. Let Him be your only guide.

—BARBARA BOOG.

## REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Eusebio Castillo to Robert K. Blount and Theresa Blount, warranty deed to Lot 4, Block No. 10 and Range No. 5, with all improvements thereon, in town of Castroville. Consideration \$300.00.

Pedro Flores to Alfred F. Rihm, warranty deed to Lot No. 1, in Block No. 6, and in Range No. 10, with all improvements thereon, in town of Castroville. Consideration \$25.00.

Mrs. Jane Burns to Mrs. Winnie Burns Vincent, warranty deed to 160 acres of land out of Survey No. 5 1-4 in Castro's Colony. Ten dollars and other good and valuable consideration.

Ida Seekatz et al to J. C. Bradley and Carrie Bradley, warranty deed with Lien to Lot No. 23-B of Seekatz's Addition to Red Cove Subdivision of Survey No. 79 1-2, Beatty, Seal & Forwood. Consideration \$225.00.

J. C. Bradley and Carrie Bradley

dollars and other valuable consideration.

Wheeler Kelly and Hagny Investment Co. to Domingo Flores, warranty deed to Lot No. 5 in Block No. 33, of Natalia Townsite. Ten dollars and other good and valuable consideration.

Joe E. Briscoe to Mortgage Loan & Agency Company, warranty deed to 10.45 acres out of Ed Tosby Original Survey No. 36. Consideration \$2,000.00.

Wheeler Kelly and Hagny Investment Company to Tomas Juarez, warranty deed to Lot No. 1 in Block No. 18 of Natalia Townsite. Ten dollars and other good and valuable consideration.

D. D. Dubose and wife to Henry McMickle, warranty deed to Lots 6 and 7, Block 2, in New Block 16, in town of Devine. Ten dollars and other good and valuable consideration.

Henry McMickle and wife to T. A. Craig, warranty deed to Lots 6 and 7, Block 2, New Block 16, in town of Devine. Ten dollars and other good and valuable consideration.

Thomas A. Craig, a single man, to Paul Mendenhall, warranty deed to Lots 6 and 7, Block 2, New Block 16, in town of Devine. Ten dollars and other good and valuable consideration.

S. W. Kearny to Juan Castro, warranty deed to Lot 25, Block 140 in Natalia. Consideration \$25.00.

S. W. Kearny to Juan Castro, warranty deed to Lot 26, Block 140, in Natalia. Consideration \$25.00.

S. W. Kearny to Juan Castro, warranty deed to Lot 27, Block 140, in Natalia. Consideration \$25.00.

A. G. Walker and wife to A. C. Gilliam, warranty deed to Lots Nos. 9 and 10 in Block No. 14 in town of Hondo. Ten dollars and other consideration.

F. E. Griggs et al to Frank Fluegge, warranty deed to following tracts of land: Northwest 88 feet of Lot 32 in Block No. 153, of Natalia Townsite; all of Lots 23, 24, and 25 in Block No. 153, of Natalia Townsite. Ten dollars and other good and valuable consideration.

W. A. Thompson to Mrs. Annie Thompson Howell, warranty deed to Lot No. 1 in Block No. 2 in Oliver Brown's Addition to town of Devine. Ten dollars and other good and valuable consideration.

Alex B. Thompson to Annie Thompson Howell, warranty deed to Lot No. 1 in Block No. 75, Old Block No. 2 of the O. L. Brown Addition to town of Devine. One dollar and other good and valuable consideration.

Joe E. Briscoe to William Preddy and wife, warranty deed to Lot 10, Block 13, in town of Devine. Ten Director, today announced the in-

auguration of a carefully studied and organized reemployment program which will function through the local boards of the System.

"Many of these returning soldiers must be cared for in this respect beginning this month when the first selectees, National Guardsmen and others to be relieved from active duty by the Army will be released," General Page said. "The Selective Training and Service Act imposes the duty of carrying out its reemployment provisions upon the Selective Service System as well as upon the former employers of these men."

The reemployment program calls for the appointment of a Reemployment Committee affiliated with each local board, the Director explained. This committeeman will act as liaison agent between returning soldiers and employers.

The function of the local board

Reemployment Committee will be to get in touch with the former employer prior to the return of a soldier to see if his former job is still available, to transmit the record of returning soldiers who have no jobs awaiting them to the nearest State Employment Service, and to act as liaison agent for the soldier in placing him in contact with available jobs.

In cases where the State Employment Service is unable to find a job for a returning soldier, the local board Reemployment Committeeman

must look for local employment opportunities. For his purpose he

should obtain the cooperation of local chambers of commerce and boards of trade, Rotary, Kiwanis, Lions, Exchange and Optimist Clubs and like groups, labor unions, the American Legion, Veterans of Foreign Wars and similar organizations.

The War Department is cooperating

with the Selective Service System in carrying out the obligation of the Government to obtain civilian jobs

for returning soldiers. In every camp

it is gathering the occupational and

educational history of the soldiers

together with all data concerning the military career of each that is pertinent to civilian employment. This

data will be distributed to local

board Reemployment Committeemen

by National Selective Service Headquar

ters.

The Selective Training and Ser

vice Act of 1940 provides that a man

inducted into military service shall

be given a certificate of satisfactory

service if he completes training to

the satisfaction of the Army. The

Act then specifies that:

"In the case of any such person

who, in order to perform such train

ing and service, has left or leaves a

position, other than a temporary po

sition, in the employ of any employer

and who (1) receives such certifi

(2) is still qualified to perform

the duties of such position, and (3)

makes application for reemployment

within 40 days after he is relieved

from such training and service—

"(A) if such position was in the

employ of the United States Govern

ment, its territories or possessions,

or the District of Columbia, such

person shall be restored to such po

sition or to a position of like senior

ity, status, and pay;

"(B) if such position was in the

employ of a private employer, such

employer shall restore such person

to such position or to a position of like seniority, status, and pay unless

the employer's circumstances have so

changed as to make it impossible to

do so;

"(C) if such position was in the

employ of any State or political sub

division thereof, it is hereby declared

to be the sense of the Congress that

such person should be restored to such

position or to a position of like senior

ity, status, and pay."

The Act also provides that persons

restored to their jobs shall not lose

seniority and shall be considered as

having been on leave or furlough. It

further stipulates that "persons so

restored shall not be discharged from

such positions without cause within

one year after such restoration."

To make use of the facilities being

provided to aid in his reemployment,

the soldier has only to fill out the

information requested on forms being

distributed by the Army, and to get

# -Castroville Cullings-

LOCAL PERSONAL AND BUSINESS ITEMS FROM THIS BUSY BURG

## ISABELL KARM, LOCAL REPRESENTATIVE

News and advertising copy for this column for the week's issue should be submitted to Miss Karm or mailed direct to at Hondo not later than Tuesday night of each week. Miss Karm is authorized to collect and receipt for any business for this paper.

CASTROVILLE, TEXAS, TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 2, 1941

Miss Anna Frances Lieber Monday morning for Houston visit her sister, Miss Ada Rose LaVerne, for about two weeks. She accompanied to Houston by Mr. Mrs. C. A. Rogers who were enroute to their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Pope daughter, LaVerne, of San Antonio accompanied by her mother, Emil Biry and daughter, Fran and Miss Patricia Suehs, visited relatives at Biry Monday evening.

Miss Edna Tschirhart of Franklin's Beauty Salon in San Antonio spending a two weeks' vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Tschirhart.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Schott were dinner guests of his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Schott at Devine Sunday.

The relatives and friends of Eugene Suehs of the Naval Reserve were informed that he left Texas morning for his new station in Pensacola, Florida, where he will receive a commission. He has been stationed at Grand Prairie, for several months.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hansch children, Mr. and Mrs. August Schuchart and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Tschirhart and daughter, Jean and Mrs. Archie Jagges, and Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Brieden and child spent the Labor day weekend fishing trip at Letcher's Place Medina Lake.

## ZION'S LUTHERAN CHURCH

Sunday, September 7, 1941, A. M. Sunday School and Bible classes, John Reus, Supt. 9:30 A. English Divine Service. The Lutheran League will meet on the second

Wednesday in September at 8:30 P. M. in the Fuos Bldg. The Pastor will be his Confirmation instruction on Saturday, October 4th, at 9:00 A. I kindly invite the children to please attend. Holy communion will be administered on the 2nd Sunday in September in the German language. Holy communion will be offered the English language on the 3rd Sunday in September. The Pastor sincerely invites his kind members to please attend the Lord's Supper. Every member and friend is kindly urged to be present next Sunday. We are anxious to have our friends who are spending the weekend in visit us at any time that is convenient.

The Church with a welcome. A. H. FALKENBERG, Pastor

## OLD-TIMER VISITS CASTROVILLE

Among the many visitors to Castroville on August 24th for the Louis Day celebration, few if any found more pleasure in the occasion than Mr. Chas. Harr, a native of Castroville but for many years residing elsewhere and at present making his home in Millett, Texas. He was taken for a drive over the town and had a